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Docket No.: 3COM-3347.WHD.US.P )  
Customer No.: )  
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For: A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR )  
IMPROVING THROUGHPUT )  
OVER WIRELESS LOCAL AREA )  
NETWORKS WITH A DYNAMIC )  
CONTENTION WINDOW )  
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AMENDMENTS AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 21, 2004  
Applicants respectfully submit the following responses to the  
above captioned patent application, as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.